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FOR: METHOD OF UNIFORMLY ETCHING REFRACTORY METALS,

REFRACTORY METAL ALLOYS AND REFRACTORY METAL

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## **AMENDMENT**

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS PO BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

This Amendment is submitted in answer to the Final Office Action dated March 4, 2005, which set a three-month period for response. A Request for Extension of Time for one month is attached hereto, thereby extending the date for response from June 4, 2005 to July 4, 2005.